

Message Text

SECRET

PAGE 01 ANKARA 00221 091515Z

43

ACTION SS-25

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SSO-00 NSCE-00 INRE-00 CIAE-00 (ISO) W

----- 035833

O R 091442Z JAN 76 ZFF-6

FM AMEMBASSY ANKARA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 1951

INFO SECDEF WASHDC IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY ATHENS

AMEMBASSY NICOSIA

AMCONSUL ADANA

AMCONSUL ISTANBUL

AMCONSUL IZMIR

USMISSION USNATO

DIRNSA WASHDC

USNMR SHAPE

CINSUSAFE

CINCEUR

USDOCOSOUTH NAPLES

CINCUSAREUR

CINCUSNAVEUR LONDON

S E C R E T ANKARA 0221

EXDIS

MILITARY ADEES HANDLE AS SPECAT EXCLUSIVE

E.O.11652: XGDS-3 INDEFINITE

TAGS: PFOR, MASS, MARR, TU

SUBJECT: TURKISH BASE NEGOTIATIONS: PREPARATION OF JOINT TEXT

1. AT BEGINNING OF JANUARY 8 MEETING OF WORKING GROUP

TURKISH TEAM CHAIRMAN ASULA CONFIRMED THAT HE WISHED TO BEGIN PREPARATION OF A JOINT TEXT WITH LANGUAGE TABLED BY EACH PARTY AND NOT AGREED BY OTHER IN BRACKETS FOR SUBMISSION TO "PLENARY" NO LATER THAN JANUARY 16. HE NOTED THAT SECRETARY GENERAL AND AMBASSADOR MIGHT THEN CHOOSE BETWEEN BRACKETED LANGUAGE. SUBSEQUENTLY, ASULA DISCUSSED NEW DRAFT ARTICLES TABLED BY U.S. TEAM

SECRET

SECRET

PAGE 02 ANKARA 00221 091515Z

(SEPTELS) IN CONTEXT OF PREPARING SUCH A JOINT TEXT.

2. IN PRIVATE CONVERSATION WITH U.S. TEAM CHAIRMAN, ASULA AFFIRMED THAT HIS INTENTION WAS NOT RPT NOT TO CONVENE FORMAL PLENARY SESSION. ON CONTRARY, SECRETARY GENERAL ELEKDAG PLANNED "PRIVATE" MEETINGS WITH AMBASSADOR AT WHICH ONE OR TWO AIDES BUT NOT RPT NOT TURKISH MILITARY REPRESENTATIVES WOULD BE PRESENT. ELEKDAG, ASULA CONTINUED, MIGHT IN THIS FORUM BE ABLE TO MAKE DECISIONS ON DISPUTED LANGUAGE WHICH COULD NOT RPT NOT BE REACHED IN WORKING GROUP SESSIONS AND WOULD ALSO HAND AMBASSADOR A NEW DRAFT ARTICLE ON IMPORTATION, WHICH ASULA SAID HE WAS UNABLE TO TABLE. SECRETARY GENERAL AND AMBASSADOR MIGHT ALSO RETURN CERTAIN PROBLEMS TO WORKING GROUP WITH FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS, ASULA EXPLAINED, NOTING THAT WORKING GROUP WOULD THEREFORE PROBABLY CONTINUE ITS SESSIONS.

3. COMMENT: ALTHOUGH HE MAY WELL HAVE OTHER REASONS FOR REFERRING UNRESOLVED PROBLEMS TO PRINCIPALS, ASULA HAS PRIVATELY IMPLIED THAT THIS WILL ENABLE HIM TO BY-PASS TURKISH MIDDLE MILITARY ECHELONS WHICH PREVENT FURTHER PROGRESS. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT ELEKDAG HOPES TO MOVE PROBLEMS TO HIGHEST LEVELS OF TGS. IN VIEW OF THESE POSSIBILITIES, WE HAVE AGREED TO ASULA'S PROPOSAL.
MACOMBER

SECRET

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptoning: Z
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: TEXT, MILITARY BASE AGREEMENTS, NEGOTIATIONS, COMMITTEES
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 09 JAN 1976
Decaption Date: 28 MAY 2004
Decaption Note: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: GolinoFR
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1976ANKARA00221
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: X3
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D760008-0765
From: ANKARA
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1976/newtext/t19760173/aaaacmxg.tel
Line Count: 86
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION SS
Original Classification: SECRET
Original Handling Restrictions: EXDIS
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: SECRET
Previous Handling Restrictions: EXDIS
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: GolinoFR
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 07 APR 2004
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <07 APR 2004 by CollinP0>; APPROVED <07 APR 2004 by GolinoFR>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
04 MAY 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: TURKISH BASE NEGOTIATIONS: PREPARATION OF JOINT TEXT
TAGS: PFOR, MASS, MARR, TU, US
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 04 MAY 2006